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: DECISION ON APPLICATION FOR
: PATENT TERM ADJUSTMENT UNDER
: 37 CFR 1.705(d)

This is a decision on the "REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION OF PATENT TERM ADJUSTMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.705(d)," filed April 22, 2010.

The above-identified application matured into U.S. Patent No. 7,560,425 on July 14, 2009. An improper request for patent term adjustment was filed September 10, 2009. The request was improper because it was not properly signed in accordance with 37 CFR 1.33(b), as indicated in the decision mailed April 12, 2010.

The instant request for reconsideration of patent term adjustment under 37 CFR 1.705(d) was filed April 22, 2010. However, in accordance with 37 CFR 1.705(d), a proper request for reconsideration of patent term adjustment must be timely submitted within two months of the date of issuance of the patent. As the instant request for reconsideration of patent term adjustment was submitted more than two months after the date of issuance of the patent, the request is deemed untimely submitted within the meaning of 37 CFR 1.705(d).

Accordingly, the application for patent term adjustment ("PTA") under 37 CFR 1.705(d) is DISMISSED AS UNTIMELY.

Telephone inquiries specific to this matter may be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3205.

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